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Title: LABEL TARGET AND LABELING REAGENTS)
COMPRISING BACKBONES WITH AT LEAST TWO)
CONSECUTIVE PEPTIDE BONDS)

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO FEBRUARY 1, 2011 OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sirs:

This Amendment and Reply (hereinafter referred to as "Reply") is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 1, 2011 in connection with the above-identified application. A response was originally due on May 1, 2011. A Request for Extension of Time (Three Months) accompanies this paper. Upon granting of the extension request, the new deadline for responding to the February 1, 2011 Office Action is August 1, 2011. Accordingly, this Reply is timely filed.